The Daily Courant.

Tuesday, April 1. 1707.

From the Paris Gazette, dated Apr. 2.

Madrid, March 15.

THE King has given Order for the Palace of Bien-Retiro to be fitted up by the 20th of this Month, designing to go thither for some Time with the Queen, who continues in good Health. The Chapter of the Metropolitan Church of Toledo, having taken into Consideration the Proposition made to them for their advancing a Sum to the King, have resolv'd to advance 350000 Crowns. The Resolutions of the other Churches are expected, and 'tis not doubted will be as favourable, the Clergy continuing to give every where signal Proofs of their Zeal for the Service of his Catholick Majesty. His Majesty has a second Time nominated to the Bishoprick of Badajox, Doctor Don Francisco Valero Curate of Villanueva de la Xara, who had refus'd it. Don Pedro Negales Inquisitor of the supreme Council, is nominated to the Bishoprick of Puebla de los Angeles in America. The Marquis de Salvatierra who was banish'd to S. Domingo de la Calzada, is lately return'd to Court, and has desir'd Leave to serve this Campaign. Several young Lords have desir'd to be employ'd, and some have put themselves into the Guards as common Volunteers. Letters from the Frontier of Arragon advise, that the Archduke had laid a Tax on that Province of 500000 Crowns, and caus'd the Plate of several Churches to be siez'd, because the Clergy would not submit to it. The Provisor of Calatayud oppos'd it there in the Name of the Clergy, and no Regard being had to his Opposition, he denounc'd Excommunication against the Collectors, and put the Churches under an Interdict; whereupon he was taken into Custody, and carried Prisoner to Saragossa. The Troops have begun to put themselves in Motion in several Parts, and some are already arriv'd on the Frontiers of the Kingdoms of Valencia and Arragon. 500 Men of the Horse-Guards, are already gone from hence by Brigades for Valencia, under the Command of the Duke of Sarno, first Lieutenant of the Troop of Italian Guards. The Foot-Guards will be marching likewise, assoon as the Recruits expected from Galicia are arriv'd. Two Battallions of Veterans that were in that Province, are on the March for Valencia, with 2 Troops of Horse. The Rebels of Arragon having some time ago block'd up the Town and Castle of Jaca, had secur'd all the Avenues, so that Provisions began to be wanted in it. Prince Serclaes de Tilly commanded the Marquis Saluzo Major General, with a Body of Foot and Horse, to go and attack them. He advanc'd the 6th to Javierre, where was a Rivulet to pass, to the other side of which the Enemy caus'd some Squadrons and some Foot to advance to dispute the Passage, being cover'd by a Wood on an adjacent Hill. The Castillians advanc'd with extraordinary Valour, the Dragoons foremost, and the Foot wading through the Water up to the Knees; the Viscount de Puerto, Don Francisco de Mencos, and M. Durban Collonels, being at their Head. Thus they pass'd the Rivulet in the Face of the Enemy, form'd themselves, and then advanc'd against them in Battalia. But the Enemy immediately betook themselves to flight. The Dragoons commanded by the Marquis de Santa Cara, were detach'd after them, kill'd above 150, took 50 Prisoners, and several Horses, 3 Colours, 2 Drums, and 1 Trumpet. A Convoy of 425 Beasts of Burthen were put into Jaca, and the 7th and 8th 100 more arriv'd from Berdun. Some of the Enemy's Troops continue at Javierre and Sabinanigo, to preserve the Magazines of Provisions they have there; and the Marquis de Saluzo is on the March to sieze those Magazines. In the Country about Origuela, the Enemy have abandon'd Elche Elda, Alcoy, Xixona, and several other Places, which were of great Convenience to them. Some Days ago, a Party of the King's Troops met 4 Troops of English Horse, and made all that compos'd them Prisoners: 120 others that guarded several Beasts of Burthen, loaded with Cloaths for the Enemy's Troops, were afterwards met with, and several of them were kill'd or made Prisoners, and the Convoy taken.

From the Antwerp Courant, dated Apr. 5.

Madrid, Mar. 16. The Advices from the Army under the Duke of Berwick, left it the 11th Instant within 9 or 10 Mile of the Enemy, who frequently sent out Parties to view our Forces, which are posted very advantagiously, and probably will not decamp before there is Advice that the Troops of Navarre and Roussillon are in Motion. The Enemy fortify Saragossa, Fuentes, Belchite, and several other Posts on this side the River Ebro, and having augmented their Forces with the Peasants of the Kingdom of Valencia whom they have arm'd, have made their Army 30000 Men strong. 'Tis the current Report, that the King will not make this Campaign, as well because of the Queen's being great with Child, as for other Reasons.

Badajos, Mar. 9. The Portuguese are storing great Magazines at Elvas and Olivenza, which puts us under some Apprehension. All the Trees and Hedges about this Place, are cut down to the Distance of half a Mile, and Sluyces are making in the Guadiana, to swell the Water in our Ditches. A Camp is mark'd out near Merida for 9000 Men of our Forces that are drawing together. 'Tis the Talk here, that the King of Portugal will make the Campaign in Person, and that the Enemy design to penetrate through Estramadura into Castile: All necessary Precaution is taken on this side to oppose the Portuguese; for which purpose most of the Troops that are in Andalusia, (seeing we are free from all Apprehensions for Cadix,) are order'd to draw towards the Counties of Niebla and Arazena, to be near at Hand on Occasion. The City of Seville has promis'd to furnish a great Quantity of Forrage, which is very scarce in this part of the Country. All the Artillery we can spare, is sent from hence to Merida.

Alcantara, Mar. 12. The 10th Instant the Marquis de Bay return'd from Court hither, and has sent Order to the Troops that are quarter'd hereabouts to hold themselves in a Readyness to march. The Portuguese draw towards the Frontier, and have already posted Troops in several Passes in the Mountains between this Place and Ciudad Rodrigo. The Inhabitants of this Town are to furnish themselves with Provisions for 5 Months. We are in Apprehension here of a Siege.

Pampelona, March 19. Some Days ago arriv'd here 56 Waggons, loaded with Musquets, Pistols, Swords, and Cloaths, which are distributed to the Recruits that were arriv'd from France, and who are all march'd to the Camp of Tudela, where a Body is form'd of 10 or 12000 Men for covering this Kingdom. The Arragonians are encamp'd at Villafranca within 3 Miles of Saragossa, and are making strong Intrenchments about their Camp; they have taken the Cattle and Corn out of all the open Places, and in Catalonia the Enemy remove all the Provisions likewise into the Places of Security; so that 'twill be very difficult for us to execute any Design against those Provinces.

London,

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On Sunday Morning the Duke of *Marlborough* put to Sea from Margate, but in a few Hours was oblig'd by contrary Wind to return thither. The Dutchess of Marlborough came to Town from Margate on Sunday Night.

AT the Theatre Royal in Drury-Lane, this present Tuesday, being the 1st of April, will be presented a new Opera, call'd, Thomyris: By Subscription. The Front Boxes and Side Boxes to be laid open into the Pit, where none are to be admitted but by the Subscribers Tickets. And the Stage, Boxes, Balconies, and Galleries, are for the Benefit of the House. And on Thursday next, being the 3d of April, will be presented a Play, call'd, Tunbridge Walks, or, The Yeoman of Kent. For the Benefit of Mr. Bickerstaffe and Mr. Lee.

For the Benefit of Mr. Keene.

By her Majesty's Company of Comedians.

AT the Queen's Theatre in the Hay-Market, this present Tuesday, being the 1st of April, will be presented a Play, call'd, Julius Cæsar: With the Death of Brutus and Cassius. The parts of Julius Cæsar by Mr. Booth, Octavius Cæsar by Mr. Mills, Mark Antony by Mr. Wilks, Brutus by Mr. Betterton, Cassius by Mr. Verbruggen, Caska by Mr. Keene, Ligarius by Mr. Boman, Decius Brutus by Mr. Husband, Cinna the Poet by Mr. Bowen, 5 Plebeians by Mr. Johnson, Mr. Cibber, Mr. Bullock, Mr. Norris, Mr. Cross, Calphurnia by Mrs. Bradshaw, Portia by Mrs. Boman.

These Plays are Sold by J. Knapton at the Crown in St. Paul's Church-yard, and B. Lintott next Nando's Coffee-House, Temple-Bar.

AN Entertainment by Mr. CLINCH of BARNET, who imitates the Flute, Double Curtell, the Organ with 3 Voices, the Horn, Huntsman and Pack of Hounds, the Sham Doctor, the Old Woman, the Drunken Man, the Bells: All Instruments are perform'd by his natural Voice. To be seen this present Evening at 7 a Clock at the Young Devil Tavern near Temple-Bar. Price 1 s.

Peter Besson, a Waldense, born in Piedmont, teaches the use of the Italian Spadroon; and does invite all Gentlemen that are curious in the Sword to see him perform his Exercises at St. Amant's Coffee-House in St. Martin's-Lane by Charing-Cross Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays, from 10 of the Clock in the Morning till 1. He hath been in most Princes Courts of Europe, from whom he hath ample Certificates of his great Dexterity and Ability this way, and in a very short time can make Gentlemen compleat Masters of this sort of Sword.

In York-Buildings, to Morrow being Wednesday, the 2d of April, will be a Consort of Vocal and Instrumental Musick perform'd by the greatest Masters, for the Benefit of Mrs Halls, Daughters to Mr. William Hall, who formerly had the Consort of Musick at his House in Norfolk-street. Beginning at half an Hour after 7 a Clock. Tickets to be had at the Door at 5 s. each.

To Morrow being Wednesday the 2d of April, Signior Fr. Conti will cause to be perform'd, at Mr. Hickford's Dancing-Room in James-street in the Hay-Market over-against the Tennis Court, the Consort of Musick compos'd by him for her Majesty, and which he had the Honour to have perform'd at Court the Day the Act for the Union pass'd. Signiora Margarita, the Baroness, and Signior Valentino will sing in it, accompanied with several Instruments, and the said Signior Conti will play upon his great Theorbo, and on the Mandoline an Instrument not known yet. The Consort will begin at 7 a Clock at Night. Tickets to be had only at White's Chocolate-House, and at the Smyrna Coffee-House, at a Guinea a Ticket.

Whereas a Cloath Cloak of a right Dutch Blue Colour, and piec'd under the Cape to lengthen it, was by mistake given about 3 Weeks ago, to a Gentleman at the Bar of the Rummer Tavern at Charing-Cross, instead of a Cloak of a paler Blue. The Person who took it is desir'd to bring or send it thither and take his own again.

TO BE LET.

The Red-Lyon Inn below the Hill in Lincoln, with Stables, Brewhouse, and other very good Conveniencies, at 30 l. per Annum, and the Household-Goods and other Necessarys are to be Sold at reasonable Rates. (The Person that kept the same being lately deceas'd.) Enquire of Mr. Wm Colson Goldsmith in Lincoln, or of Mr. Edward Colson Sword-cutler at Charing-Cross, London.

A new Brick House, 3 Rooms of a Floor, with a Garden and other Conveniencies, to be Let, at Westborn-Green near Padington, with Lease or without. Enquire at Mr. Reynolds's there.

A House of 4 Rooms on a Floor, with a Garden, Stables, Coach-House, and other Conveniencies, is to be Let at Wanstead near the Green Men in Essex. Inquire at Sir Orlando Bridgeman's House in Wanstead, or at his House in Soho-Square, London.

To be Sold by Auction, in Great Queen-street near Lincolns-Inn-Fields at the House next the Chappel, a Collection of Original Italian Pictures by the greatest Masters, Collected by the late Ingenious Mr. Clifford of Grayslnn, most of which are Originals of Titian, Rubens, Vandike, Jordands, Paul a Vornes, &c. The Sale begins to Morrow being Wednesday, the 2d of April, at 2 in the Afternoon. The Pictures are ready for View, and Catalogues may be had at Jack's Coffee-House in Swithins-Alley by the Royal Exchange, at the Pictures Auction at the Parliament House, and at the Place of Sale.

Household-Goods for Sale by Auction.

At the Large House against Church-Lane at Kensington Gravel-Pits, on Monday next, being the 7th of April, beginning at 10 of the Clock in the Forenoon precisely, consisting of very clean and fashionable Goods of all sorts, together with a Coach and pair of Horses, being the Goods of a Lady lately deceas'd, and are to be seen on Thursday, Friday, and Saturday next. Catalogues whereof will be ready to be deliver'd at the Place of Sale.

Snell's Merchants Accounts in the True Italian Method, Sold by Edw. Place at Furnivals-Inn Gate Holborn. The Author Teaches at the Free Writing School in Foster-Lane, Writing in all the Hands used in England, Arithmetick in all its parts, Merchants Accounts or Italian Book-Keeping as practis'd by the most Eminent Merchants, and Foreign Exchanges. He also Boards young Gentlemen in his House.

Since several Ill-minded Persons have for some time Counterfeited the true GOLDEN SNUFF, so well known for its particular Vertue in Curing several Diseases of the Head, specified in the Bill of Directions, the Author (to prevent Peoples being any longer impos'd upon by such Spurious Stuff) hath been at the trouble and charge to stamp every Paper with the Figure of an Elephant, seal'd up with the same Impression, a Latin Inscription being round the Figure; since which many Substantial Tradesmen have been very desirous to Sell it by Retail, because the true may now be so easily distinguished from the false, it is therefore to be had at the several Places following, viz. at Mason's Coffee-House in Bartholomew-Lane behind the Royal Exchange, John's Coffee-House in Swithin's-Alley near the Royal Exchange, Mr. Hilliard Toyshop at the Ship over-against the Royal Exchange-Gate in Cornhill, Mrs. Orborn at the Rose and Crown under St. Dunstans Church in Fleetstreet, Mr. Gibs next Door to Charles-street in Kings-street, Westminster, Toyshop, Paris Coffee-house in Suffolk-street near Pall-mall, St Alban's Coffee-house in St. Alban's-street near Pall-mall, Great Queen-street Coffee-house in Westminster, Pon's Coffee-house in Cecil's-Court in St. Martin's-Lane, Smyrna Coffee-house in Pall-mall, Mrs. Foster at the entry of the Hospital-Gate in Smithfield, at 1 s. a Paper. Any other Persons living more remote, and willing to Sell it, may have the same Advantage as the others have, and their Names or Places of abode inserted, applying themselves to the Author at the Green Balcony in Durham-yard in the Strand, London.

By John Hill Apothecary, at the Black Swan in Watling-street near Friday-street, London, are only to be Sold, and no where else, the true Original Perpetual Drawing Plaister and Ointment, having been Experienc'd by great Numbers, in curing Headachs, Convulsions, Sore Eyes, Rheumatick Pains, Asthmas, Hecticks, &c. price 2 s. 6 d. with directions. Frequent notice of which has been given in the Gazette for preventing Counterfeits. ☞ Beware of a sham Advertisement publish'd by a pretender to 40 years Experience.

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